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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Caltrans Begins Repair on Churn Creek Bridge

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation has begun reconstruction of the embankment under the Churn Creek Bridge on State Route 44 in Shasta County. Considerable erosion has taken place, caused by high water flows during the rainy seasons.

Rock Slope Protection (RSP) is being placed on the embankment beneath the east abutment at the Churn Creek Bridge located between Victor Avenue and Shasta View Drive in east Redding. The reconstruction will correct current erosion, prevent further erosion and protect the exposed bridge foundation. The project began this week and completion is anticipated in six-weeks. Travelers can expect no delays from this project.

The contractor for the project is Stimpel-Weibelhaus Associates of Redding. For more information please contact Project Manager, Eric Akana at 530-225-3530 or Resident Engineer, Tim Bade at 530-225-3158.

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